

HOUSE BILL 4063

By Richardson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68,
relative to environmental protection.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-202-217, is amended by deleting the section in its entirety.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-211-107(a), is amended by adding the following language to the end of the present language:

To the extent permissible under federal law, such rules and regulations shall impose liability for any required environmental cleanup at a contaminated site upon the entity or entities responsible for such environmental contamination.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.